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INSURGENTS REPULSED AFTER FIERCE STRUGGLE NEAR MADRID

SAN FRANCISCO BRIDGE

Ceremonial Opening Yesterday

San Francisco, To-day. Pressing a button at Washington President Roosevelt opened the bridge between San Francisco and Oakland, the longest bridge in the world, yesterday. Governor Merriman severed a gold chain with a blow-lamp, releasing thousands of cars across the bridge. It is 8 1/4 miles long and cost \$30,000,000 to build.—Reuter.

ITALIAN PLANE CRASHES

20 KILLED AND 40 INJURED

Rome, To-day. It is learned that 20 people were killed and 40 injured in the flying disaster near Terracina on Wednesday, when the forming of ice on the wings of a giant army plane caused the machine to crash, only the pilot, Captain Umberto Bernini, escaping death by leaping out with a parachute. The plane fell on some houses in the village of Roccaforte, which were set on fire.—Reuter.

PALESTINE ROYAL COMMISSION HOLDS MEETING

Jerusalem, To-day.—The Royal Commission held its opening session yesterday afternoon.—Reuter.

RUSSO-GERMAN TENSION INCREASES

FOLLOWING WHOLESALE ARRESTS BY MOSCOW POLICE

Berlin, To-day. The tension between Germany and Russia has increased, following the announcement by a German news agency that the German Ambassador in Moscow has made "most emphatic representations to the Commissariat for Foreign Affairs regarding the arrests of German citizens." The agency adds that the persons arrested are completely unsuspicious people carrying on the professions of musicians, book-keepers, mechanics, etc. The Moscow correspondent of the German news agency states that simultaneously with the arrest of the German citizens the arrest took place of Soviet citizens having relations with the German Embassy or belonging to the German school or the German Evangelical Church.

KING VISITS HIS FLEET

35 Units Inspected At Portsmouth

BOISTEROUS WEATHER CONDITIONS

London, To-day. H. M. the King had a rough trip in the Admiral's Barge when he inspected 35 units of the Home Fleet at Portland yesterday. His Majesty had lunch aboard the flagship, H. M. S. Nelson, and visited other warships. Later he inspected the anti-submarine school, where he saw the latest devices for detecting and locating underwater craft. His Majesty also attended a lower-deck concert aboard H. M. S. Courageous in the evening.—Reuter's Bulletin Service.

PROGRAMME CURTAILED. London: An exceptionally severe storm swept the English Channel yesterday and in consequence cer-

BRITAIN'S DEFENCE POLICIES

MR. BALDWIN REPLIES TO CRITICISMS

COMPLICATED AND BAFFLING PROBLEMS FACED

London, To-day. During the debate on defence in the House of Commons last night Mr. Winston Churchill (C. Epping) strongly criticised the Government for delay in the progress with disarmament and urged that the House should demand a Parliamentary enquiry by six or eight independent responsible, experienced, discreet members who had some acquaintance with such matters, representatives of all the parties, to interview the Ministers and find out what were the answers to the series of questions which were disturbing some members, and make a brief report to the House, either of reassurance or of suggestion or remedying the situation. The Prime Minister, Mr. Stanley Baldwin, replying on the whole debate, referred to the complicated nature of Empire relations in reference to defence in the post-war period, but said that the Dominions had throughout shown anxiety about the state of world politics and had discussed with the Government their own defences.

GAS-MASKS FOR ALL British Free-Issue Scheme In Case Of Emergency

London, To-day. Mr. G. W. Lloyd, Under-Secretary to the Home Office, told the House of Commons yesterday that a Government factory expected to produce 2,000,000 gas-masks a month, which would be issued free to the general public in an emergency. Substantial stocks of the components had already been produced and large-scale assembly would begin shortly.—Reuter's Bulletin Service.

The problems to be dealt with, largely because of modern developments in the air, were complicated and baffling. He became more than ever convinced in the course of the debate of two things: firstly, that every endeavour which they could use in diplomacy and foreign policy and in every other possible way should be directed to keeping peace in Europe; and secondly, if that peace should be unhappily broken, we should be prepared.

Those two things were not necessarily contradictory. It was necessary to give information as to what was our defensive strategy and what was our plan for meeting air attack. If there were two things that would be welcomed by foreign countries it would be a clear explanation of those questions. We were, because of our geographical position and our imperial interests and communications, so placed with regard to offence and defence that we had to look to more than one

POLITICAL FUNDS IN BRITAIN

Supplemented From Abroad

London, To-day. In answer to a Commons question yesterday, the Home Secretary, Sir John Simon, said he could not make a detailed statement which went to show that both in the case of the Fascist and Communist organisations in Britain, their funds had been supplemented from abroad.—British Wireless Service.

GERMAN LOANS IN BRITAIN

No Flotation Likely At Present

London, To-day. Mr. Neville Chamberlain, Chancellor of Exchequer, was asked in the House of Commons yesterday for an assurance that, in view of the existing frozen credits in Germany, he would not sanction German attempts to float a loan in this country at the present. Mr. Chamberlain, in reply, said that no issue of a German loan, so far as he knew, was under discussion here, and in view of the current market quotations for German loans he did not think any such question was likely to arise at the present.—British Wireless Service.



During a hill in the army manoeuvres in the Harz mountains, this German gun crew 'whiled away' the time by explaining the operation of a field piece to an interested youngster. The lad is shown peeping through the range-sight.

FINAL CONFERENCE PENDING

CHINA STILL STANDS HER GROUND

NO ABANDONMENT OF HER SOVEREIGN RIGHTS

(From A Special Correspondent.)

Canton, To-day. Mr. Suma, the Japanese Consul-General at Nanjing, recently called on Mr. Ku Chung-mu, Director of the Asia Bureau of the Chinese Foreign Minister, to arrange the eighth and last meeting between Mr. Kawagoe, the Japanese Ambassador to China, and Mr. Chang Chun, the Chinese Foreign Minister; after which meeting, it is learned, the Sino-Japanese negotiations will be interrupted for a time. It is reported that the Japanese authorities have proposed to organise a commission to discuss the North China and joint bandit suppression problems, but the Chinese authorities have refused to consider such matters as these, which violate the Chinese sovereignty. It will be probably in the coming eighth meeting that both sides will arrive at a decision to appoint several commissions to study the Chengtu, Pakhoi, Hankow and Shanghai incidents respectively.

As for the recent Shanghai incident of the murder of the Japanese seaman, Mr. Yasuji Takase, contact had not yet been resumed late last night, and the Japanese bluejackets were still patrolling the place. It is learned that the Japanese Seamen's Institute has asked the Japanese Government to take strong measures to settle this matter.

SHIP'S OFFICER CHARGED ALLEGED OPIUM OFFENCES

James Johnston, aged 52, of Scotland, and Chief Officer of the s.s. Chuen Chow, appeared this morning before Mr. K. Keen, at the Central Magistracy on four different charges of breach of the Opium Ordinance. He was charged with (a) importing 72 tael of raw opium, (b) with possession of the raw opium, (c) importing 18 tael of prepared opium, and (d) with the possession of prepared opium. Mr. J. M. d'Almeida, Remedios appeared for the defendant and Revenue Officer E. O. Grimmit was for the prosecution. The case was fixed to be heard on Wednesday at 2.30 p.m. Bail was fixed at \$5,000.

Admiral Esteve, Commanding the French naval forces in the Far East, left Hong Kong yesterday for an unknown destination by the French Sloop Amiral Charner.

NORTH CHINA SITUATION

MOBILISATION BY BOTH SIDES

INSURGENTS PREPARING BIG OFFENSIVE

(From A Special Correspondent.)

Canton, To-day. Though the weather has become cold in North China, both the Government and the Manchuria-Mongolian bandits have been busy in mobilisation for the last two days. The Shansi troops of Marshal Yen Shik-sen, Vice-Chairman of the Military Affairs Commission, have already entered the South-eastern part of Suiyuan Province, and they are going to the front in North Suiyuan to help the Suiyuan troops to defend the province.

As for the bandits, they have been reinforced by more troops from Jehol, and a large quantity of foodstuffs and ammunition was transported to Paklingmiao from Jehol by lorries. Prince Teh, one of the Mongolian insurgent princes, arrived at Paklingmiao yesterday, and the bandits have elected Li Shou-sen as their Commander-in-Chief. They are preparing an offensive on Suiyuan from four directions, with the aim of capturing Kweisai, the capital of the province. (Continued on Page 5)

LOYALIST FORCES' SLIGHT ADVANCE

BUT RESISTANCE IS WEAKENING

GRIM SIEGE IN CASA DE CAMPO

Madrid, To-day. The artillery and machine-gun fire on the outskirts of the city is unceasing. The insurgents reached a bridge crossing the River Manzanares, near the part of Madrid famous for dance halls and beer gardens, but were unable to cross. The northern railway line traverses the river at this point. Meanwhile the insurgents advanced to the Casa de Campo on the right bank, but were eventually driven back after a fierce struggle. A communique says that the reports that the North Station had been captured or set on fire by the artillery bombardment are baseless, and adds that rain made the infantry movements more difficult. But the Government forces did not yield much territory and actually advanced a mile towards Villa Verde.

It is semi-officially claimed that the Government forces have re-occupied Getafe and other villages in the neighbourhood.—Reuter.

Toledo: It is understood that the insurgent line has now reached the outskirts of University City, which is the nearest point to Madrid, but the forces have not yet entered Madrid proper. Nevertheless the resistance of the Militia to the insurgent advance is stated to be clearly weakening.—Reuter's Bulletin Service.

London: The sub-committee of the international non-intervention committee met yesterday at the Foreign Office with Lord Plymouth in the chair to continue its deliberations regarding the appointment of supervisory committees at the Customs depots on the Spanish frontiers. The proposals submitted by the two belligerent parties in Spain with regard to this question were examined during the session.

The recommendations of the sub-committee were to be communicated at once to the main committee which was meeting yesterday afternoon.—Trans-Ocean Service.

Ground Littered With Bodies

Madrid: A small group of Moroccans, entirely surrounded by Government forces, are now undergoing a grim siege in the Casa de Campo. The Moors were isolated after a desperate night battle, in which the insurgents re-reported to have utilised their best infantry, supported by artillery and tanks, but the Government force was reinforced by two fresh battalions and violently counter-attacked, forcing the insurgents to withdraw with heavy losses. It is stated that the bodies of Legionnaires and Moroccans (Continued on Page 10)

HINDU CASTE SYSTEM

Courageous Move By Maharajah

Travancore, To-day. The Maharajah of Travancore, on the occasion of the celebration of his 25th birthday, issued a proclamation throwing open all the State-controlled Hindu temples to all Hindus without distinction of caste, birth or religion. The Maharajah rules 5,000,000 subjects.—Reuter.

NEW SOUTH WALES BATTING

76 For 3 At Lunch

Sydney, To-day. New South Wales took first use of the wicket in their four-day match against the M.C.C. here to-day, scoring 76 for 3 before lunch. Later, N.S.W. 108 for 3.—Reuter.

NEW MILITARY BARRACKS AT KOWLOON

To Be Completed In 1940 At Estimated Cost Of \$1,350,000

London, To-day. Sir Victor Gollancz, Financial Secretary to the War Office, told a questioner in the House of Commons yesterday that the new barracks at Kowloon would accommodate 2,700 British and 900 Indian troops, and would probably be completed at the end of 1940. The cost was estimated at \$1,350,000. The barracks were required to accommodate additional troops and units of the garrison at present occupying temporary sub-standard huts.—Reuter.

MORE "WORDS" IN LONDON

AN ITALO-SOVIET "BREEZE"

"ARCH-VIOLATOR OF TREATIES"

London, To-day. The non-intervention committee sat for 5 1/2 hours, ending at 9.30 p.m. yesterday. A communique issued after midnight states that the committee approved the scheme for the establishment of a system of supervision in Spain, subject to certain drafting amendments and confirmation by the respective Governments.

The communique reveals that there was a heated exchange between the Italian and Soviet representatives, the former alleging Soviet interference in Spain. He declared that the Soviet creed was the creed of war. Italy accepted the challenge, convinced that not only the future of Spain but the future of all civilised Europe was at stake.

The Soviet delegate, in reply, said that the Italian delegate was piping a tune composed in Berlin. The division to-day was not between Communism and Fascism, but between war and peace, between countries which glorified war and aggression and countries which detested war and desired peace. Italy stood unmasked before the world as an aggressor and arch-violator of treaties.

The non-intervention committee considered four complaints of alleged breaches of the agreement by the Soviet Government and found the evidence insufficient to enable the committee to reach the conclusion that a breach of the agreement had been committed.—Reuter.



Sporting Page



PATSY HENDREN OPTIMISTIC ABOUT M.C.C. AUSTRALIAN TOUR

BRILLIANT RIDING BY MR. LIANG

WINS BOTH EVENTS FOR AUSTRALIAN PONIES

COSSACK'S BEAUTY WILL NEED TO BE WATCHED

(By "RAPIER")

IDEAL weather conditions favoured the Tenth Extra Race Meeting conducted by the Hong Kong Jockey Club at the Valley last Saturday, but the attendance could only be described as moderate. Spectators were, however, treated to an afternoon of exceptionally keen racing, a few of the events providing very thrilling finishes. Rendered hard by the dry weather, the track was in splendid condition, thus materially assisting in some fast times being recorded.

Once again, honours among the Owners were extremely well divided, not one enjoying the satisfaction of recording more than one win. The meeting was, however, marked by brilliant riding on the part of Mr. S. C. Liang, the noted Tientsin jockey, who had the unique distinction of winning the two events confined to Australian ponies. He also rode a splendid race on Pride of Tsingtao in the last race. With three wins to his credit, Mr. Liang naturally headed the list of most successful jockeys, followed by Mr. D. Black, whose victory on Emergency Call was a treat to watch.



Barney Ross, welterweight champion of the world, seen above beating Jimmy McLarnin for the title, will meet Larry Jannazzo, a promising American-Italian welterweight, in the Madison Square Garden ring on November 27, the Garden Titular Commission announced in New York on November 8. Within sixty days after the Ross-Jannazzo clash, it was also announced, Ceferino Garcia, twice the victim of Ross' slashing lefts, will meet the title-holder in a championship match.

THE ASHES MAY YET COME BACK

W.H. PONSFORD MAY PLAY AGAIN

WHERE ARE THE SUPER PLAYER?

London, October 1.

A FEW months ago pessimism stalked through big sections of the London Press, when the M.C.C. team and its possibilities in Australia were being discussed. Before the team joined the "Orion" bound for Australia, breezes of genuine optimism drove the clouds away. The one big sinister shadow in the Australian background was cast by young Don Bradman; and, lurking behind him were Bill O'Reilly and Stan McCabe.

Patsy Hendren reviews the M.C.C. men and their prospects very agreeably, and wisely steers clear of the poison of pessimism. "We can come out of the mist of speculation into the clear daylight of certainty regarding the England men charged with the task of bringing back the 'Ashes' from Australia. To say that the selectors sprang some surprises when they announced the last batch of names (save the deputy-wicket-keeper) is putting it mildly.

One or two players who were fully expected to be in the party were not mentioned, and others—not named by any of the "amateur" selectors—have been honoured with places. Even now, I am surprised that Arthur Mitchell did not get an invitation and because I want to see us building for the future, I am disappointed that a berth could not be found for Harold Gimblett. Gimblett should be there, not with a view to improving our chances of winning the Tests, but to give him valuable experience.

Without making even a suggestion that I am specially in the know—or behind the minds of the selectors—I can quite understand why P. F. Warner and the others were influenced in the decision to give the position of batsman No. 2 to Barnett, of Gloucester.

Freer Scoring
Fagg is our No. 1; he will be expected to stand there for some time, with run-making a secondary consideration. Arthur Mitchell, and also Herbert Sutcliffe, of course—are of the same type, and it was probably considered necessary to have a freer-scoring partner in the opening combination.

Barnett is a fine stroke player. If he finds his feet in Australia—as I think he may well do—he will get a lot of runs. In the ideal opening pair you want one man to hold up an end and the other to push along the score. That is one of the elementary principles of team-building.

Voce—Man For The Job
Over the selection of Voce there cannot be other than general rejoicing. The all-round efficiency of the side is considerably enhanced by his presence. All along I have insisted that we were badly in need of the type of bowler who could keep down the runs. Voce is just that type.

When he is concentrating on the leg-stump, the Notts man is particularly difficult to get away, and the batsman must play at him because of the possibility of a ball straightening out. Bill Voce is the type who can be employed after the tea interval—and he will then keep down the runs!

It may be suggested that the selectors have chosen quite a lot of bowlers because they are of the opinion that a lot of runs will be scored off our attack.

There is wisdom behind this. There are so many bowlers in the party that the men who will really be wanted for Tests, can be rested. Batsmen do not need any rest. Indeed, they are usually all the better for playing regularly. Bowlers, on the other hand, benefit from being "nursed."

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Fine Hockey Player



S. CHOWDHURY, the Radio hockey player and representative of the Volunteer Signallers' hockey team on the Council of the Hong Kong Hockey Association, received his early education in Nairobi and continued his studies at the Khalsa School, at Rawalpindi, where he captained the hockey team.

He later went to the Shamsaher School, where he completed his studies. While there, he was one of their outstanding athletes, excelling at running, jumping and swimming. He also played hockey for the school and after leaving school represented the Behari and Orissa Provinces at centre-forward, against the Calcutta University in their annual hockey contest. He also played regularly for the Lahore Y.M.C.A.

He arrived in Hong Kong in 1934 and played for the Radio Sports Club, being chosen for the "Best" against the Kowloon Indians, the Manak Tournament champions. The following year he continued with the Radio Sports Club and was a member of their championship team in addition to being chosen for the Interport against Macau, although he did not play owing to injury. Chowdhury is a keen Volunteer and was greatly instrumental in founding the Volunteer Signallers' hockey team.

ROYAL ENGINEERS AT SOCCER

Intra-Section Match At Valley

In the Royal Engineers' intra-section football competition at Happy Valley yesterday, Yellows shared eight goals with Blues, though the former were leading at the interval by two clear goals, scored by Parker and Brown respectively.

After Parker had added the third goal for Yellows in the second half, Blues replied through Tuppitt (2) and Hicks to make the score 3-2. Merritt then placed Yellows in the lead again, but just before the final whistle Newman netted the fourth goal for Blues; the match coming to an end with no further scoring.

R.E. LEAGUE FOOTBALL FIXTURES POSTPONED

We are asked to state that the Royal Engineers' League football teams have postponed their fixtures for this week-end.

RUGBY WIN FOR LIGHT BLUES

London, To-day. — In the only major friendly Rugby encounter yesterday, Cambridge University beat Dublin University in a very close match by 9 points to 8. — Reuter.

CAMBRIDGE WIN

London, To-day. — The annual freshmen athletic contest between Oxford and Cambridge was held at Oxford yesterday and resulted in a win for Cambridge by 6 events to 5. — Reuter.

PUNJABIS BEAT RADIO

Hockey Clash On The Marina

GUEST, AWATAR SINGH AND CLARKE SHINE

The Punjabis had no difficulty in beating the Radio Sports Club by three clear goals in a friendly hockey encounter on the Marina ground yesterday, the game lasting only half-an-hour owing to the late arrival of several members of the latter team.

The Radio fielded a weakened side, Rocha, their goalkeeper, Kitchell, a half-back, and Chowdhury and Leonard, two forwards, being absentees.

Awatar Singh led the attack and was ably supported on the right by G. Clarke, but they were the only two forwards in the Radio attack to prove dangerous.

Guest played at right-half and accomplished the difficult job of marking Lal Singh and Lieut. Genders well, but received no support from Karnail Singh behind him. Lim, who substituted for Rocha in goal, played a good game but lacked anticipation.

The soldiers were a well balanced team. The defence, by virtue of the weak opposing forwards, had plenty of time to feed their forwards and the intermediate line of Gurbachan Singh, Dulla Singh and Alaf Din were always up with their forwards. The two backs, Khan Badhar and Taj Mohd, were sound defenders, while Nur Mohamed, in goal, did not have much to do. The Punjabis scored their goals through Lieut. Genders (2) and Jagmeet Singh.

EAST LANCES, HOCKEY WIN

The East Lances, engaged a Navy team at hockey at Sham shupo yesterday afternoon and won by 3 goals to 1 after leading by a goal at half-time. Botting (2) and Lieut. Robinson scored for the winners while Lieut. Davies and Lieut. McConnell, the "Internationals" hockey player, were outstanding for the Navy.

TO-DAY'S HOCKEY MATCH

The following will represent the Hong Kong Hockey Club against the 8th Destroyer Flotilla on the Club ground (King's Park) to-day, commencing at 5 p.m. sharp: Val, der, Wall, T. Comand, Woodhull, C. Sommers, J. Woodhouse, E. J. Walker, T. Tait, H. Peach, L. Starbeck, Lieut. Way, H. E. W. Taylor and V. Bond.

The first race of the day very nearly provided a sensational upset. Oak Bay confounded those critics who did not believe that it was capable of lasting out the mile. It not only led all the way at a fairly fast pace, but was unfortunate in being pipped at the winning post by Gladiator. Oak Bay was taken out by Mr. W. H. S. Davis, and over a shorter distance in future will be hard to beat in view of its present fine form.

Soldier of Britain (Mr. H. C. Pih) disappointed very badly, but the pony evidently felt the effect of the heavy burden in weight. King's Warden (Mr. G. U. da Rosa) made a valiant attempt to catch up with the leaders, but it was beaten before reaching the Rock and ran unplaced.

The race started with Oak Bay taking the lead, followed by Gladiator. On passing the football stands, Soldier of Britain came into the picture, and as it was full of running I expected it to provide a sterner challenge than it did, but when nearing the mile post it was a beaten pony. It was then left to Oak Bay and Gladiator (Mr. Y. T. Fung) to furnish a really thrilling finish, with the latter securing the verdict by a short head. Cossack's Beauty (Mr. S. C. Liang) came through with a great burst of speed, and there is no denying the fact that with another few more lengths to go, it might have won. Cossack's Beauty should be watched over a little longer distance.

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BRAWN CUP HOCKEY

Rifles' Ladies Lose First Match

The "Y" Ladies' junior hockey team to meet the Royal Ulster Rifle's Ladies in the Brawn Cup next Saturday, on the "Y" ground at 2.45 p.m. is as follows:—

Miss J. Weller, Mrs. Barnes and Mrs. Slater, Mrs. McLean, Miss E. Tonge and Miss F. Fowler; Miss I. Murray, Miss B. Bloom, Miss J. Lakeman, Miss J. Syrik and Mrs. Imery.

The Central British School girls' "A" beat the Rifles' Ladies by two clear goals in a Brawn Cup game yesterday. Miss A. Martin scoring in the first half and Miss D. McCaw in the second.

A. J. BRALEY'S GOLF WIN IN BOGEY TOURNEY

The Bogeys' Pool Competition held over the Kowloon City course during November 7, 8 and 11 resulted in a win for A. J. Braley with a return of one up. H. H. Mundy had the same return, but lost on his score for the second nine holes.

G.M. YOUNG GOLF CUP COMPETITION

TEN TEAMS FOR FANLING EVENT

FIRST ROUND TO BE PLAYED BEFORE DECEMBER 20

The draw for the G. M. Young Cup golf competition which is held annually under the auspices of the Royal Hong Kong Golf Club, was made recently and is given below. The First Round must be played on or before December 20, the Second Round on or before January 17, 1937, the Semi-Final Round on or before February 7, and the Final on or before February 21.

The Draw

The following is the draw:—
Bye into 2nd Round:—
Dodwell and Co. (A. C. I. Bowker) v. Lowe, Bingham and Matthews (J. Fleming).

Hong Kong Bank (O. J. Shannon) v. winner of Jardine Matheson and Co. (P. Morrison) v. Chartered Bank (D. J. Gilmore).

First Round:—
Jardine Matheson and Co. (P. Morrison) v. Chartered Bank (D. J. Gilmore).

A.P.C. (R. Young) v. Linstead and Davies (D. L. Prophet).
Bye into 2nd Round:—
Manufacturers Life (E. J. R. Mitchell) v. winner of above match. Standard Vacuum Co. (T. H. Gore) v. Butterfield and Swire (T. E. Chaswell).

The manager of each team is shown in brackets, and the first pair in each bracket are challengers and will be responsible for the arranging of dates.

Played Under Handicap
The competition will be played under handicap, as on the date of playing, while the teams of four aside may be changed from day to day.

The competition will be played over 18 holes match play singles and four-balls and points will be awarded as follows: 1 point for each singles match and 2 points for each four-balls match, all matches to be played out; 3/4 difference in singles and 1/3 (biscuits) in four-balls.
Singles will be played over the New Course at Fanling and afternoon pairs should be bracketed together, while the four-balls matches will be played over the Old Course. If the match goes beyond the 18th green, in singles, strokes to be taken as in this first round. In four-balls, 3/8 difference of handicap (after 18th hole) to be in strokes.

GOLF STARTING TIMES

The following are the starting times of the Royal Hong Kong Golf Club at Fanling next Sunday:—

OLD COURSE	
9.20 a.m.	D. S. Edward, A. E. Lissaman.
9.24	K. S. Robertson, S. H. Dodwell.
9.28	D. S. Robb, R. L. D. Wodehouse.
9.32	J. Rodger, R. K. Collings.
9.36	A. McKellar, A. Sommerfeldt.
9.40	R. D. Walker, H. H. Mundy.
9.44	E. W. Kirk, A. N. Other.
9.48	A. C. I. Bowker, Comdr. Hole.
9.52	E. L. Groome, F. A. M. Elliott.
9.56	P. Morrison, W. A. McKimley.
10.00	W. J. Waddington, R. A. McKenny.
10.04	J. B. Masson, J. Morrison.
10.08	R. D. Evans, A. Anderson.
10.12	G. A. Leiper, C. C. Willson.
10.16	A. H. McBride, W. W. C. Sheehan.
10.20	N. P. Fox, T. Low.
10.24	A. M. Kirby, J. W. Mayhew.
10.28	F. C. B. Black, I. H. Bradford.
10.32	K. K. Rounds, R. Sanger.
10.36	J. L. Adams, G. B. S. Thomson.
10.40	I. H. Geare, F. A. Redford.
10.44	W. N. A. Smalley, G. D. Black.
10.48	Major Withington, H. Jussierand.
10.52	E. Bathurst, D. H. N. Baker Carr.
10.56	Comdr. Thatcher, E. T. McMullen.
11.00	Pay. Lt. Morant, Surg. Lt. Cdr. May.
NEW COURSE	
9.20 a.m.	A. K. Mackenzie, T. A. Pearce.
9.24	R. Young, I. Newton.
9.28	D. J. Gilmore, L. G. S. Dodwell.
9.32	H. M. Alexander, P. J. de Borne.
9.36	C. C. Stark, A. B. Raworth.
9.40	W. A. Stewart, H. C. Hopkins.
9.44	D. Forbes, A. D. Humphreys.
9.48	W. S. McKimley, Col. Matthews.
9.52	Mrs. Craynell, D. McAlister.
10.00	V. M. Grayburn, R. M. Meloy.
10.08	G. T. May, R. C. Webb.
10.12	W. Sharp, A. A. Bremner.
10.16	Mrs. Adams, Mrs. Thomson.
10.20	H. U. Ireland, T. R. Chaswell.
10.24	Mrs. A. Cornell, Mrs. Sommers.
10.28	W. A. Cornell, H. F. Summers.
10.32	E. C. Norris, P. H. Suckling.

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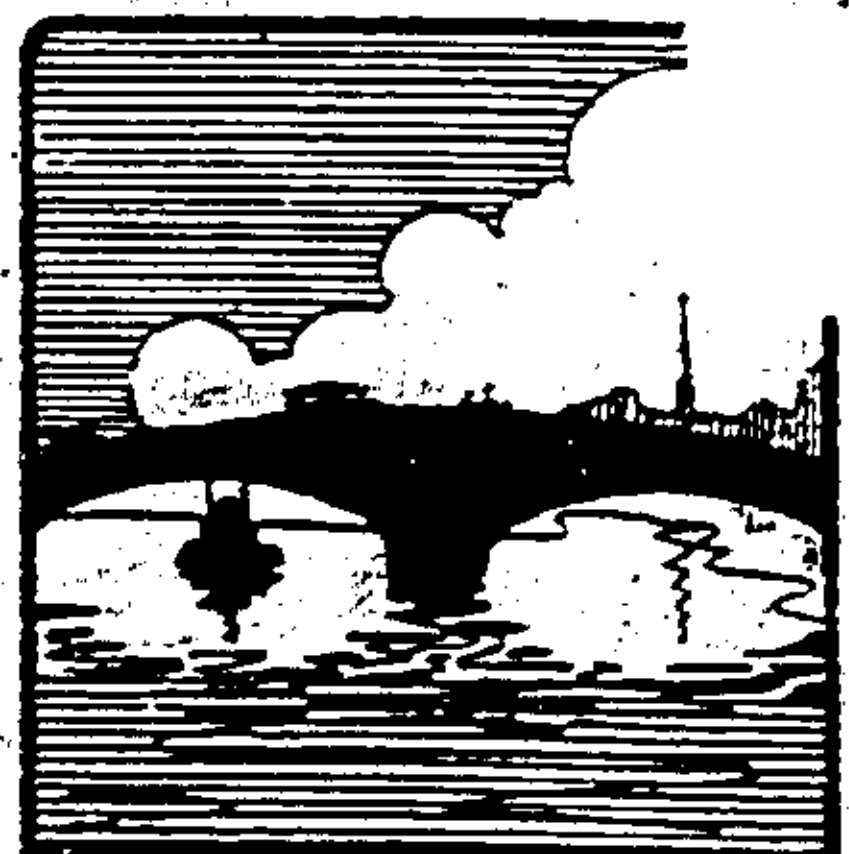
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LATE REPUDIATION OF FINANCIAL HELP

PROMOTER'S APPEAL TO SPORTSMEN

(By Jim Donald)

Sydney, September 24.

THE Ross-Carroll fight for the welterweight championship of the world straddles precariously on the knees of the financial gods. According to the story of the Australian promoter, Charlie Lucas, a story which, as Lucas tells it, is replete with broken promises and last-minute repudiation of financial support, a sum of £6,500 is needed immediately to make up the total of £12,500, which, to validate the match, must be lodged in a Chicago bank, before 3 p.m. to-morrow, Wednesday.

Lucas has cabled Sam Plan, Ross's manager, asking for 24 hours extension of the time limit. At this time of writing, Mr. Lucas has received no reply to his cable. In a final effort to stem the tide of disaster, Mr. Lucas has broadcast an appeal to Australian sportsmen, asking for contributions, which would enable him to go through with the project he has so ably pioneered. "The Carroll-Ross fight for the championship," said Mr. Lucas, "is a matter of national importance. The publicity value of such a venture is incalculable, viewed in the light of Commonwealth benefit. The honour of Australian sport is at stake. I have done everything humanly possible, in the face of bitter opposition, to bring matters to a successful conclusion. Circumstances unforeseen, and over which I have no control, have conquered me."

"So I am throwing myself on the mercy and the goodwill of wealthy sportsmen, who may think well of my project and endeavours. 'I have done my best. A man can do no more.' While engaged in the writing of this article, I was called to the phone. It was Mr. Lucas speaking."

Prospects Brighter
"Jim," he said, "prospects of getting the sum of money required are much brighter. My two directors are out now conducting negotiations with certain financial interests, which negotiations, if satisfactorily concluded, will put me completely in the clear, and settle the business once and for all. I sincerely hope so. Whether Mr. Lucas succeeds or fails, the real story of his fight against the odds of misrepresentation and jealousies will be told. It is an amazing story."

MEDICALS BEAT R.A.O.C.

Small Units Cricket Match

At Sookunpoo yesterday, the Royal Army Medical Corps beat the Royal Army Ordnance Corps by 6 wickets in the Small Units Cricket League.

Ordinance: 105 (S/Sgt. Cooper 18, Lt. Fallowfield 18, Pte. Pitt 15 not out, Pte. Gaster 8 for 29). Medicals: 225 for 7 (Lt. Col. Crawford-Jones 65 not out, Pte. Gaster 51, Cpl. Howells 49, S/Sgt. Isaac 4 for 76).

CRICKET WIN FOR D.B.S.

Match Decided in Last Over of Day

An exciting cricket match was played on Wednesday between the Diocesan Boys' School and the Hong Kong University juniors at Pokfulam, the former winning in the last over of the day by 20 runs.

D.B.S.: 136 for 7 dec. (G. Kew 41, W. Lau 38, G. W. Hong Choy 5 for 34). University: 116 (J. Fong 38 not out, E. Soares 18, C. B. R. Sargent 5 for 61).

OXFORD ROWING FIXTURES

London, October 13. At a captains' meeting of the Oxford University Boat Club, the following fixtures were arranged: Coxswains' Four, October 22-23; Silver Challenge Sculls, November 4-7; Trial Eight at Henley, November 23; Long Distance at Radley, December 7.



Lou Ambers, world light-weight boxing champion, above, will probably meet Jimmy Walsh, British light-weight champion, at Empress Stadium, Earl's Court, either in December or January next. The world title will not be at stake.

BRILLIANT RIDING BY MR. LIANG

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Bobniak Star Fails
Only four ponies faced the starter in the second race, the Nullah Nullah Handicap confined to "A" Class Australian ponies over six furlongs. At the previous meeting Bobniak Star (Mr. Ip Kui Ying) ran very well to come second to Electron, but on Saturday last it certainly let down its backers with a vengeance. It was not only unplaced, but it came in last! Full credit must, however, be given to Mr. S. C. Liang for his handling of Derby Day. Instead of allowing his mount to take the lead by several lengths as he had done on previous occasions, Mr. Liang was satisfied with being just in front, thus conserving Derby Day's energy—the pony is only a flyer without any stamina to boast of. Coming into the straight, Derby Day forged ahead and won by four lengths, but there was a keen tussle between Australian Boy (Mr. Black) and Vixen Tor (Mr. Proulx) for second position, which the former won as a result of fine riding. So keen was the fight between these two ponies that at one time when nearing the winning post I thought there was going to be a collision, which was, however, narrowly averted by Mr. Proulx, who pulled up Vixen Tor very smartly.

Bear Claw's Fine Win

In the third race, the Griffins Cup, over 1½ miles, Mrs. Dunbar's Bear Claw made this year's Derby winner, Honeymoon Eve, appear only moderate in comparison. By virtue of its effortless win, Bear Claw must be strongly favoured to win the Griffins St. Leger at the next meeting, in which Royal Scot will also compete.

In last Saturday's race, Mr. Donald Black sent Bear Claw to the front from the very start. Passing the stands for the first time, Mr. S. C. Liang had to hold back Honeymoon Eve, which was full of running, but the race was actually won by Bear Claw on passing the Rock. Coming into the straight, Bear Claw increased its advantage without any effort, and romped home by three lengths. There is no doubt that Bear Claw is a much improved pony, and its promotion to "A" Class is fully justified.

Favourite Left

Noted for his ability for getting off to a flying start in sprint events, Mr. B. A. Proulx gave the numerous supporters of Sylvandale a sickening feeling when it was left behind in the Norfolk Handicap over five furlongs. Mr. Pih, on the other hand, managed to send The Hero out into the lead, and, in spite of a valiant effort on the part of Mr. Y. T. Fung on Night View, The Hero won with a length to spare. Sylvandale snatched third position from Gold Sovereign.

Tyne Leads All The Way

The fifth race, the Kent Handicap over six furlongs, confined to novice jockeys, was most uninteresting. Tyne (Mr. S. L. Yuen) took the lead from the rise of the barrier, and won without being challenged. Much was expected from King's Bounty, but it has to be remembered that this pony conceded no less than 21 lbs. to Tyne. Valorous, ridden by Mr. W. G. Foy, was certainly a great disappointment, and I place its failure on the fact that it was unable to get away to a good start. With the exception of Tyne, which took the lead, the other

CHAMPION MAY GO TO AMERICA

ANOTHER EARL'S COURT CONTEST SOON

WALSH DELIGHTED AT PRAISE

(By Harold Lewis)

London, October 21.

AFTER the success of their opening show the National Sporting Club yesterday were endeavouring to make plans for more big nights on the same lines; that is to say, to produce first-class boxing apart from any question of the size of the contestants.

Happily, the days of the ring mammoth are over, for the time being, and the effort to meet the British desire for good boxing among men of lighter weights has been justified.

Jimmy Walsh, who beat Mizler on Monday in defence of the British light-weight title, has already come to an agreement with Johnny Best, the N.S.C. match-maker, and will certainly box again within a few months at Earl's Court.



An attempt was made yesterday by the Transvaal National Sporting Club to induce Walsh to box Laurie Stevens, the British Empire champion, at Johannesburg on December 5, but I understand that Walsh is definitely declining. He will not leave England until next spring, at the earliest. In the meantime, the N.S.C. have followed up certain negotiations with Lou Ambers, the American holder of the world's title, and it is hoped that an announcement of a fight between Walsh and Ambers will be made shortly.

Question Of Contract
It is fairly certain, however, that Ambers, who is under contract to New York interests, would not be permitted to put his title at stake in London without the special agreement of the other parties as was done in the case of John Henry Lewis before he signed to box Harvey.

Walsh wants to test himself against the world's best, and if he cannot fight for the world's championship in England, he intends sooner or later to go to America.

Walsh Delighted
What delighted Walsh, almost as much as his victory over Mizler on Monday, was that he was told afterwards in his dressing room by the referee, Mr. C. H. Douglas, that he had done more to uplift British boxing that night than had been done by dozens of others.

Walsh has already been challenged by Dick Corbett, the London feather-weight, and Dave Crowley.

Meanwhile, the Club begin the first of their ordinary weekly shows at Earl's Court next Monday by introducing to London for the first time the British welter-weight champion, Jake Kilrain, of Scotland, who will meet George Daly, of Blackfriars—a contest between the fighter and the scientific boxer which was a typical choice of the old N.S.C.

DEATH OF DAVID MENZIES

Surprise To Colleagues

London, October 17.

Mr. Leslie Knighton, the Chelsea manager, is more closely in touch with all the other club managers because he is secretary of their association. He was therefore one of the first to be told of the death of David Menzies, the Doncaster Rovers manager.

This sad news came as even more of a surprise to Mr. Knighton, as only two days previously he had been in touch with Mr. Menzies, who was interested in a Chelsea player.

New Ponies In Training

Readers may be interested to know that the new China and Australian ponies, concerning which full information will be given in due course, are now being put through their paces. Last Sunday morning they were brought out to get used to the starting gate, and the procedure will be repeated several times prior to the 1937 Annual Race Meeting.

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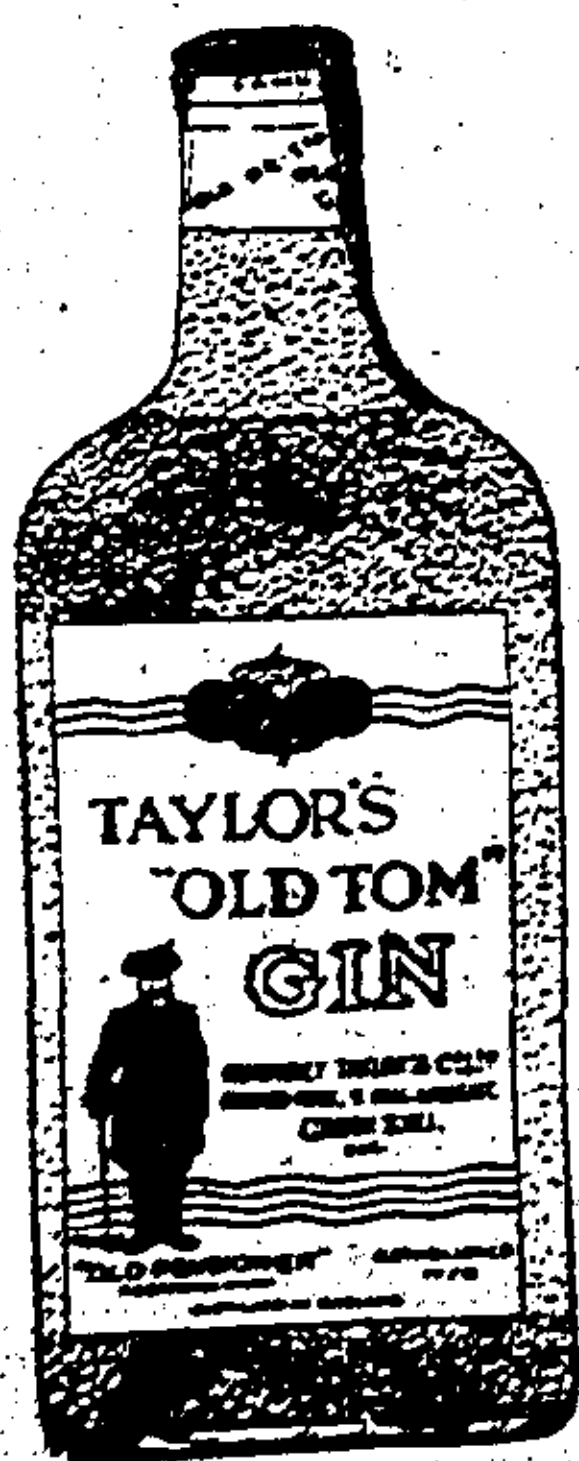
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Christianity And Communism

There is ample food for thought in the striking article which the Rev. A. J. Bennett has contributed to the current number of *St. John's Review* under the heading "The Religion of Religion to Politics." For the benefit of those who may not have read it, the following précis may be useful. The article opens by recounting how the Jews living under the hated yoke of Rome at the time of the birth of Jesus looked forward to a day when they should once again be a great and free nation. "Roman rule," says the article, "was of the nature of an enlightened despotism: it did not usually bear particularly heavily on her colonies, and many advantages were to be gained from living under it." But the Jews hated to think they were subject to anyone; they therefore lived under the expectation of One who should come, whom they called the Messiah, and who would be the successor to Judas Maccabeus, the man who, 150 years before, had led the Jews to a great victory which had gained them their freedom from the tyrannical rule of Antiochus Epiphanes. The article goes on to relate that Christ refused to play the political role of a national deliverer, in spite of His acceptance of the title of the Messiah. Nevertheless, it is worth noticing that although He Himself refused to take part in the politics of His time, He has again and again been the inspiration of all sorts of political reformers ever since.

The early history of the Church, however, disclosed an entirely different situation, and the writer traces briefly the emergence of the Church as a political factor, with the gradually increasing influence wielded by its Princes. The Lutheran protest was against the corruption and abuses of the Church then extant, and gradually the typical Protestant point of view of the almost inviolable separateness of religion and politics gained the upper hand. "One result," says the writer, "has been that the political systems of the world to-day are arranged without any direct regard for religion at all," and he goes on to examine the claim that the one great rival to Christianity in the world to-day is Communism, and that "because Communism is not only a political and economical system but also a religion." The writer finally asks whether the choice necessarily lies between Capitalism and Communism (as at present exemplified in world politics) or is it not possible that there is a third way, in which Christianity can play a considerably more prominent part? "But the working out in detail of this third way depends on us—on whether we are content to keep our religion as our own affair . . . or whether it is really something which can yet save civilisation from disaster."

The moral code of ethics which Christianity enshrines is unquestionably the greatest thing of its kind, whether we approach it from the religious or the strictly moral aspect—that is to say, disregarding its religious aspects and reducing that to its moral and social implications. In either case it stands unique and supreme. The trouble with the civilised world—roughly that part of it

EXPLANATIONS OF TO-DAY'S CARTOON

The Ghostly Flight

AN Aerona C-3 cabin plane ran away from its pilot, who had just approached as it stood in the field and cranked its propeller. The throttle was open, and there were no blocks under the wheels. The ship roared off at top speed, took off cross wind and was in the air after a 75-foot run. It climbed to 500 feet, made a perfect bank to the right, flew over a three mile radius and returned to the field at the Tulsa Commercial Airport, April 17, 1936.

The Name Of Johnson

MR. WILLIAM T. Johnson who received 44,049 votes as candidate for the office of Clerk of the Supreme Court of Minnesota, although he had no political past, made no campaign and spent no money, ascribes this result to the magic of the Johnson name. The present incumbent of the office was reelected with 74,123 votes after an aggressive campaign. But this in no way diminishes the prestige which the name Johnson seems to enjoy. There was another defeated candidate who polled 11,000 votes less than Mr. Johnson, although he, too, is a political figure and made a vigorous election campaign.

ANNUAL DRILL DISPLAY

Demonstration By Fire Brigade

The Annual Drill Display of the Hong Kong Fire Brigade will take place in the compound of the New No. 2 Police Station, Lockhart Road, Wanchai, commencing at 3 p.m. next Wednesday.

The display will be attended by His Excellency the Governor and Lady Caldecott who have intimated their intention of witnessing the drill. The public, as in previous years, are again invited to attend.

Your Daily Smile!

Wife: "What's the idea of poking the broom in the baby's face this morning?"
Hubby: "I just wanted to get him used to kissing his grandfather."

* Isn't It So? *

He was an ordinary sort of chap, and it embarrassed him to think that all these people would rise to attention the moment he approached. He was sensitive, and he really disliked all this fuss on his account—especially as he knew that the move was not really popular; and that only a sense of duty impelled his fellow-citizens to stand when his arrival was signalled.

He wished it was possible to avoid it all, but it was always the same—whenever he entered a cinema, it seemed that the only seats available were right in the middle of the row.

embracing Christianity in one or another of its forms—is that it has utterly failed to apply its moral teachings in everyday practice. That seems to us to be the tragedy of the strife and discord which we see all around us, whether between individuals or nations. They have not only divorced Christianity and Christian precepts from their politics but from all their social relationships, all their contacts, all those everyday kinships which make up life. The finest code of moral ethics ever devised has given way to a set of relationships which has no basis of moral or social worth, in which selfishness, intolerance, greed and hate are the decisive factors. Unfortunately, what is labelled "Communism" to-day has yet to show that it has any regard for morality as exemplified by Christianity. By Communism we do not mean the communism evident in our present social structure to such good purpose—the communistic uses of harbours, bridges, roads, electricity, social services and so on, on which the whole of civil society is based—but those excesses, that anti-Christ, which Communism as a political creed seems to embody. In this sense it appears to us that the claim that Communism and Christianity are implacably opposed to each other has some foundation.

Here There and Everywhere

DUNKIRK v. CALAIS

It seems a pity that the new non-change sleeping-car train to Paris should have to go from Dover to Dunkirk instead of Calais.

It is understood that for this the Port of Calais, the Nord Railway and the Government are responsible. They could not agree to share the expense of building a ferry-dock at Calais like the new one at Dover. Dunkirk already possessed one.

The result is that the new route is one of the longest ways of travelling between the two capitals. Leaving London at 10 p.m., before the theatres are over, the train reaches Paris at 8.55 a.m., too late to catch the morning expresses for Germany, Italy, Switzerland and Central Europe.

For this reason an otherwise attractive method of avoiding the passport and Customs queues and the usual struggles for (and with) porters at the ports may lose many passengers.

UNLIMITED DAMAGES

On the direction of Lord Hewart, Lord Chief Justice of England, the jury of 12 M.P.s who paid a visit to Rheims to investigate the champagne vintage brought in a verdict for unlimited damages for themselves.

The Lord Chief Justice offered to exempt the jury from further service for a period of 10 years. This offer was indignantly—indeed, truculently—refused.

The party, which was organised by Sir Charles Petrie and Mr. Lawrence Venn, numbered 22 legislators in all. It was mainly concerned with visiting the vineyards and sampling the 1923 vintage. Curiosities included two 1911's of a brilliance which belied their age.

At a special dinner M. de Marchand, the mayor and an ex-Minister of the Interior, welcomed the guests. Lord Hewart replied.

OUT OF HAND

"I know where my husband lives, but I can't get to him because he is under his mother's thumb," said a wife at Willesden police court last month.

NOBODY'S CHILDREN IN NEW LANDS

EMPIRE WORK OF DR. BARNARDO'S HOMES

CHILD MIGRATION TO BRITISH DOMINIONS

(By R. T. Kirkpatrick)

AT a meeting of the Royal Empire Society on May 12 last, the Hon. B. S. B. Stevens, Premier of New South Wales, stressed the necessity of a far-sighted plan for future development of the vast continent of Australia. Viscount Bledisloe emphasized the necessity of the investment of British capital in Australia and New Zealand, and Sir Hal Colebatch, the Agent General for Western Australia, said that what was wanted was not only British capital, but British settlers with capital. Yet another speaker seemed to advise the importation to Australia of storks. May I suggest that the work of child migration to the Dominions, which has been one of the chief planks of the policy of Dr. Barnardo's Homes from its earliest years, meets the suggestion of all these gentlemen?

Since these Homes were started in 1866 we have sent to Canada no fewer than 20,655 boys and 8,366 girls—potential Empire builders, over 90 per cent. of whom have made good—and have expended in that Dominion a sum of over £1,109,482. Our organised migration to Australia is of much more recent origin, our first party having sailed only in 1922. In 1929 we established a farm school for 100 boys at Pictou, some 40 miles from Sydney, and we have a girls' home at Ashfield, near Sydney; and we have sent since 1922 to New South Wales no less than 1,287 boys and girls.

This figure excludes the 408 children who have been settled in Western Australia and have formed some 40 per cent. of the total number of boys and girls sent by the Kingsley Fairbridge Farm School Society to Pinjarra. The family alcohols of our Australian work was £13,050 in 1934, and £10,598 in 1935, the total expenditure since 1922 being over £116,000. Thus it will be seen that we have sent to the Dominions British settlers, with British capital amounting to over £1,377,000, and ready-made British babies!

Migration To-day

Migration to-day has undoubtedly lost some of its attraction for people in the homeland, and when we speak of schemes for overseas settlement we visualize unconsciously only those which affect the working classes. It is extremely rare to-day to find families of the middle and upper classes settling in Canada, Australia or New Zealand. The only exceptions appear to be retired civil, naval and military servants seeking a home where they can spend their *otium cum dignitate*.

The question of child migration is not one which can in any way be linked up with or prejudiced by unemployment, either in Britain or in the Dominions. The children sent out by the Fairbridge Farm Schools and Barnardo's vary in age from 8 to 11. They will not be on the employment market for an appreciable number of years, and their maintenance in the Dominion, besides being a financial asset, ensures that they will be ensured to their new surroundings, and become at heart thoroughly good citizens who desire to remain up-country. Surely, then, societies such as ours deserve every consideration and encouragement rather than the cold official reluctance with which our efforts are now met.

Impressive Figures

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"BELIEVE IT OR NOT" by Robert L. Ripley



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FIRST ROUND BEFORE DEC. 13

The following is the draw for the Stubbs Shield golf competition, held annually under the auspices of the Royal Hong Kong Golf Club at Fanling, the First Round of which will take place on or before December 13.

The Second Round must take place on or before January 10, 1937, the Third Round on or before January 31, the Semi-Final Round on or before February 14 and the Final on or before February 28.

The first pair in each bracket are the challengers and will be responsible for arranging the dates.

Byes into 2nd Round:—

Education Department (T. J. Price (12) and D. McLeish (17) v. Gibb Livingston & Co. (A. McKellar (8) and M. N. Currie (17)).

John D. Hutchinson & Co. (T. E. Pearce (18) and T. A. Pearce (3) v. winner of Medical Department and Asiatic Petroleum Co.

First Round:—
Medical Department (Dr. A. V. Greaves (20) and Dr. I. Newton (6) v. Asiatic Petroleum Co. (R. Young (5) and J. A. Cooper (22)).

Linstead and Davies (A. Sommerfelt (9) and S. T. Butlin (13) v. H.M.S. Tamar Cmdr. Wauchope (10) and Lieut. Comdr. Barry (8)).

Manufacturers' Life Insurance Co. (J. R. Mitchell (7) and W. Sharp (12) v. National City Bank (K. K. Rounds (13) and L. R. Cramer (15)).

Wilkinson and Grist (D. K. Blair (14) and G. H. Hugh-Jones (12) v. P. O. Bank (W. J. Waddington (18) and R. A. McKenny (16)).

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Chinese Maritime Customs (A. H. Forbes (14) and E. Bathurst (17) v. Davie Boaz & Co. (J. Petrie (18) and W. A. Stewart (9)).

Harbour Office (Comdr. Hole (15) and R. K. Collings (5) v. Prisons Department (J. W. Francis (12) and G. H. Henry (24)).

Harry Wicking & Co. (A. K. MacKenzie (4) and H. Owen Hughes (18) v. Dodwell & Co. (S. H. Dodwell (6) and A. D. Humphreys (11)).

C.P.R. (T. C. Monahan (12) and E. T. Mullen (7) v. F.W.D. (A. E. Lissaman (2) and W. J. S. Key (9)).

Lowe, Bingham and Matthews (A. Ritchie (10) and D. S. Robb (5) v. Royal Artillery Mess (Lyemum) (Capt. Mitchell (8) and D. H. N. Baker-Carr (18)).

Bye into 2nd Round:—
Butterfield and Swire (T. Low (12) and T. R. Chasells (18) v. Cornflower H.K.R.N.V.P. (W. W. G. Sheehan (12) and Dr. Mackie (6)).

KING VISITS HIS FLEET

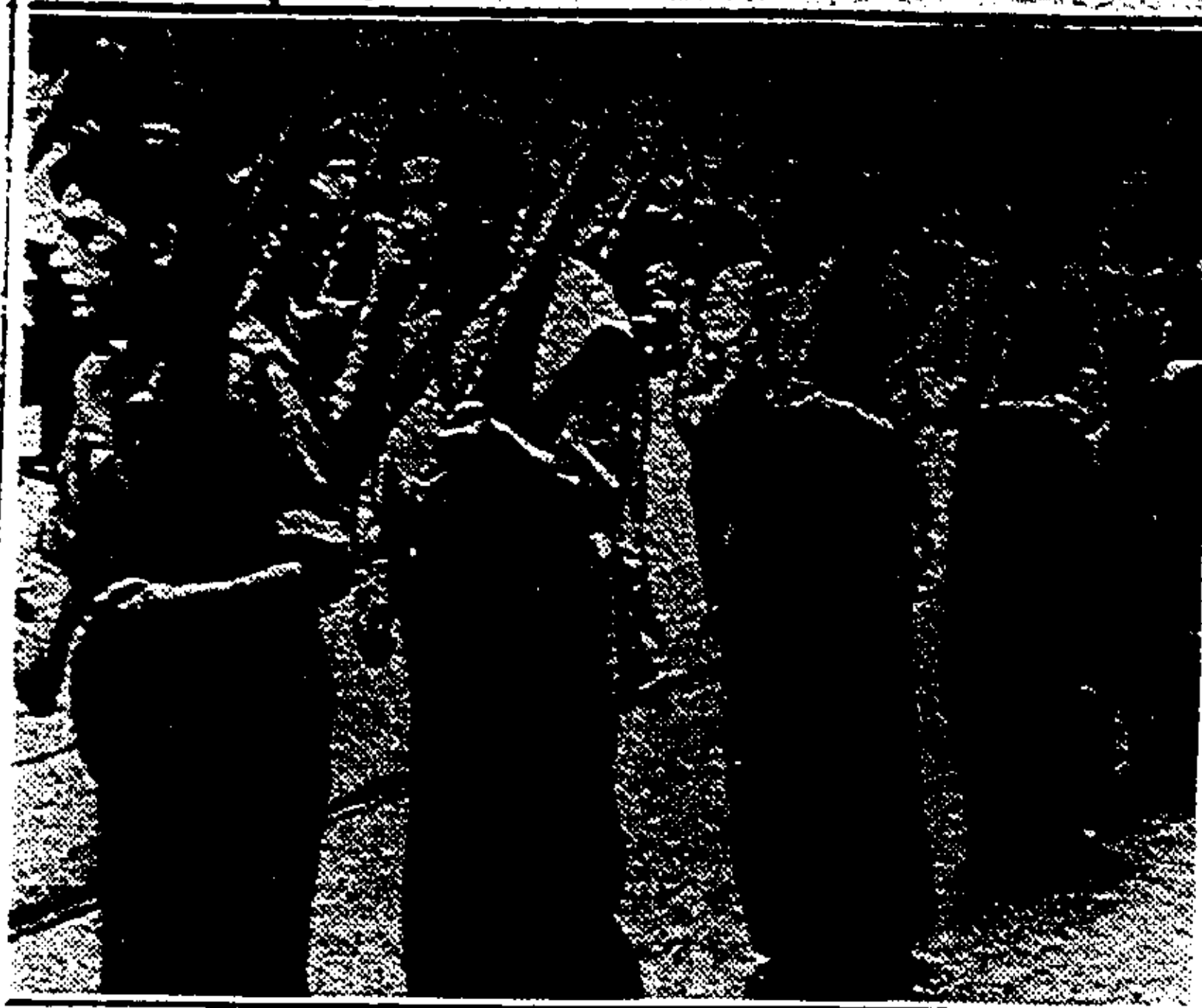
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Chesil Beach. His Majesty made his drive from the railway station to the dockyard through flooded streets. But there was a burst of sunshine when he stepped from his car. It was of brief duration and the wind and rain continued to sweep the harbour, in which between 30 and 40 warships awaited inspection. In view of the extremely boisterous conditions it was early decided that the ships should not be dressed all over, but should wear only masthead flags. Later it was announced that the crews should not man ships, and another feature of the inspection cancelled was the King's sail in the Commander-in-Chief's Barge down the lines of the fleet.

In other respects the full programme was adhered to and the King, in company with the First Lord of the Admiralty, Sir Samuel Hoare, and the First Sea Lord, Admiral of the Fleet Sir Ernle Chatfield, carried out a series of inspections on board the various ships. The first visit was to the flagship Nelson, and in traditional fashion the King, as Admiral, was piped aboard by bosuns and quarter-masters. About 1,000 men were paraded on the deck of the aircraft-carrier Courageous, and the King carried out the inspection in a very heavy rain squall. Visits to ships were continued in the afternoon.—British Wireless Service.

MOTOR-CAR MISHAPS

Lam Ling, a Chinese male, was admitted to the Government Civil Hospital suffering from injuries received when he was knocked down by car No. 1099 in Queen's Road East. Lam Ping received severe injuries to his left arm when it was caught in the door of car No. 3545 when it knocked him down in Leichling Road yesterday. He was also taken to the Kowloon Hospital.



The wooden guns carried by these youthful Carlist recruits, shown in their graduation parade at San Sebastian, will soon be replaced by the real thing. Despite their youth, they are expected to shoulder a man's burden against the loyalists.

LOCAL NEWS BREVITIES

The M.S. Cremer is scheduled to sail for Singapore on Thursday, November 24.

The s.s. Tjinegara leaves for Bali and Java on Thursday, November 24.

Two cases of diphtheria were reported to the local Health authorities during the 24 hours ended yesterday.

Five cases of diphtheria, three of enteric fever and one each of cerebro-spinal fever and puerperal fever were reported to the local Health authorities during the 48 hours ended on Wednesday.

The third annual Garden Fete in aid of the building fund of the Kowloon Tong Anglican Church will be held on December 5. It will be opened by Lady Caldecott at 3 p.m. There will be a number of stalls, side-shows, etc., and it is confidently hoped that the function will be a success.

The Hong Kong Stock Exchange have received a cable from Messrs. Derrick & Co. Local Secretaries in Singapore of the Raub Australian Gold Mining Co., Ltd., announcing the output for the four weeks ending November 7, 1936, to be 1,957 ounces.

SERVANT PLEADS
GUILTYTheft Of Jewellery
And Money

Wong Yee, aged 28, was this morning sentenced to four months' hard labour by Mr. K. Keen at the Central Magistracy when he pleaded guilty to the theft by servant of one jewellery box containing one pair of gold bangles, one pair of gold earrings and six rings, \$50 in cash, and seven promissory notes.

Detective-Sergeant T. Cashman said that the defendant had been employed by the complainant for the past 10 years at \$15 a month, including meals. About 7 p.m. on November 9 complainant left the shop and returned two hours later. He found the jewel case missing and reported the matter to the Police. As the result of enquiries defendant was suspected and when questioned admitted the theft. The box was found on the roof and the jewellery at No. 252 Hollywood Road. The total value of money and jewellery stolen was \$417, of which \$377 had been recovered. The promissory notes, which related to the sum of over \$3,100, were burnt by the defendant and this would mean a loss to the complainant.

JEWEL THIEVES
SENTENCEDRecorder Sympathises
With Woman Associate

Folkstone.—Edward Goodman, aged 44, a surveyor, and Robert John Grimwood, aged 28, baker's roundsman, who are already serving sentences of four years' penal servitude, were each sentenced to five years' penal servitude at Folkstone Quarter Sessions last month.

The new sentences are to run concurrently with the present

SHANGHAI MAN
MARRIEDBride Arrives From
Home

Shortly after her arrival in the Colony by the s.s. Victoria this morning, Miss Olga Por, of Vienna, Austria, became the bride of Mr. Albert Johannes Reitoe, Lonsain, of No. 1202-38, Avenue Joffre, Shanghai, who came down from the northern port a few days ago. The ceremony took place before the Registrar at the Supreme Court.

The witnesses were Messrs. W. de Jong and T. Vago. Others present at the ceremony were Mrs. W. de Jong, Mrs. T. Vago, Mr. J. C. Klaus and Mr. K. Broch.

After the ceremony the newly-married couple proceeded to the Hong Kong Hotel with their friends, who were entertained at a quiet but happy reception. The bride and bridegroom both boarded the s.s. Victoria, which sailed for Shanghai later in the day.

NORTH CHINA SITUATION

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FUNDS FOR THE TROOPS
Canton, Later: At a meeting in Nanking yesterday, all the citizens of Suiyuan Province in the capital passed a unanimous vote that all Suiyuan people working outside the Province should subscribe 20 to 40 per cent. of their salaries (according to the amounts they earn) for the Government troops who are defending the province for them against invasion by Manchurian-Mongolian bandits backed up by foreigners. Suiyuan students who are studying in schools outside their native province will spend less money on food every month so as to save some money for the loyal Government troops. Representatives were elected during the meeting to take charge of this affair and to appeal to the Government to despatch heavy troops to Suiyuan at once.

INTENSIVE PREPARATIONS

Shanghai: Intensive military preparations continue in Inner Mongolia, according to Chinese reports, which declare that Li Shou-sin's Manchurian forces are advancing to the north from Shanghai and Wang Ying's Mongols are moving steadily towards Pailiangniao, skirting the Chinese defences to the east and north-east of Suiyuan. About 60 truckloads of supplies arrived at Shanghai from Jehol yesterday, of which 30 were forwarded to Pailiangniao. Aeroplanes continue to scout over the Chinese lines, where preparations to resist the invasion are in full swing.—Reuter.

sentences. They pleaded guilty to stealing jewellery worth \$16 from a Police boarding house and money and jewellery to the value of \$249 from a private house. Edith Margaret Grimwood, aged 24, whose correct name was Hall, was bound over for receiving the property in the second case. The Recorder said to Hall: "You have fallen under the influence of these two rascals."

STREET SLEEPERS
SOCIETYAnnual Meeting At
Cathedral HallWORK REVIEWED BY
CHAIRMAN

The third annual meeting of the Street Sleepers' Shelter Society was held at the Cathedral Hall last evening when Mr. R. Ashton Hill presided, and some interesting discussion took place.

The Rev. J. R. Higgs asked whether it would be possible to give something more than a bowl of tea to the street sleepers at the shelter every night. Mr. Hill replied that Government did not consider it desirable to provide meals because people who were not normally street sleepers might be attracted in the hopes of getting a free meal, and the work of the Society would therefore extend its range beyond that of the very poorest.

Another speaker then suggested that it would be in the interests of the Society to scotch a rumour to the effect that a charge of two cents per person per night was being made, because the Society does not make any charge at all.

Members of the Executive Committee present were Mr. R. Ashton Hill, Chairman; Miss Ruby Mow Fung, Hon. Secretary; Miss D. Lee, Assistant Hon. Secretary; Mr. Andrew Cheung, Hon. Treasurer; Mr. J. C. Grenham, Miss M. Blanchett, the Hon. Dr. R. H. Kotewall, and Mr. Tang Shiu-kin.

Chairman's Review

In his speech, the Chairman said in part: I would like to say how much this society owes to Sir Henry Pollock's interest in its work. From the very first he took his turn week by week as a volunteer worker at St. Peter's shelter and during the last two years the work which he has done for the society has been invaluable. The volunteers are the backbone of this society and it is a great encouragement to the committee to have as Chairman one who has taken his turn of duty at the shelters and who thoroughly understands the work.

In connection with the shelter at Kowloon, I should like to place on record our thanks to Mr. Wong I-tung for giving us the use of an old knitting factory rent free, and also the Kowloon Residents' Association for their help and co-operation—they appointed two representatives on our committee, Mr. E. Kern and Mr. F. C. Mow Fung, and aided the Kowloon shelter. We hope to have their continued help this winter. We have not yet found suitable premises at Kowloon but the K. R. A. have appointed Mr. C. E. Terry to the committee and are already looking for a suitable building.

Volunteers

An innovation last winter was the reorganisation of volunteers which reduced work and expense and made for better co-operation. At the same time we had a number of independent volunteers and they are always welcome; our most valuable helpers are those who turn up on one particular night every week.

I should like to thank all organisations who have provided volunteers and all individual helpers, particularly Doctors, Nurses, St. John Ambulance men and others who have helped with the medical work at the shelters. With all our shelters and all the help we receive, we should be quite helpless without somebody to inspire, organise and co-ordinate; our secretary Miss R. Mow Fung has done all that and a bit more. She has forbidden me to thank her to-night—perhaps you will do it instead. (Applause).

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WORLD TRADE
RESTRICTIONSQuestions In House
Of Commons

London, To-day.

Replying to question in the House of Commons yesterday, as to whether any action was contemplated with a view to relaxing progressively and ultimately abolishing the system of quotas and exchange control, the Chancellor of Exchequer, Mr. Neville Chamberlain, said that in Britain there is no system of quota restrictions on the import of industrial goods, neither are there any exchange restrictions. As regarded other barriers on international trade, it remained one of the main objects of the policy of the British Government to promote the exchange of goods between this and other countries by means of bilateral trade agreements.

On the general question of a freer exchange of goods throughout the world the Government would continue to keep in touch with the Governments of France and the United States and other Governments, in order to take advantage of any opportunities that offered to promote the objectives they had in common.—British Wireless Service.

NOBEL PRIZES

American Dramatist
Honoured

Stockholm, To-day.

The Swedish Academy has awarded the Nobel Prize for Literature for 1936 to the American dramatist Eugene O'Neill. The Nobel Prize for Physics is divided between Professor V. F. Hess, of Innsbruck University, and Professor Carl David Anderson, of the California Institute of Technology. The Chemistry Prize is awarded to Professor Peter Debye, of Berlin, for his contribution to the knowledge of the structure of the molecule.—Reuter.

OBITUARY

LAST ASSOCIATE
OF DR. SUN

Canton, To-day.

Members of the Kuomintang will regret to learn that Mr. Yau Lik, one of the four original revolutionists who included the late Dr. Sun Yat-sen, passed away in Nanking yesterday afternoon. Mr. Yau was the only one of the four left, and he was 72 years old. All the members of Kuomintang in Nanking will attend his funeral.—From A Special Correspondent.

KEROSENE CASE
RE-HEARINGMr. Fitz-Henry Gives
Evidence

The Deputy Superintendent of the Fire Brigade, Mr. J. C. Fitz-Henry, gave evidence almost throughout the day before Mr. E. Himsforth at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday, when the re-hearing of a charge of possession of dangerous goods without a licence, brought against Lai Yu, was resumed.

Lai Yu was first charged on September 3, with possession of 270 tins of kerosene distillate and 400 tins of kerosene and/or kerosene distillate, found on a lighter in Cheung Sha Wan Bay on September 2. He was convicted and fined \$150 and an order was made for the confiscation of the 400 tins. Lai was, however, granted a re-hearing on the grounds that the offence was a technical one and that he had no legal representation.

At yesterday's hearing Mr. F. H. Loebe appeared for the defence and Mr. M. J. Abbott represented the Crown. At an earlier hearing, the charge was amended to possession of 247 tins, and not 400 tins.

Mr. V. C. Branson, Government Analyst, who gave evidence of his examinations of samples of kerosene taken off the lighter, was recalled yesterday. He said he was recalled by a tin of oil by Mr. Fitz-Henry on September 2, and on September 3, he received a further three samples. These were all returned to Mr. Fitz-Henry on September 15.

After Mr. Fitz-Henry had given his evidence, hearing was adjourned until this morning.

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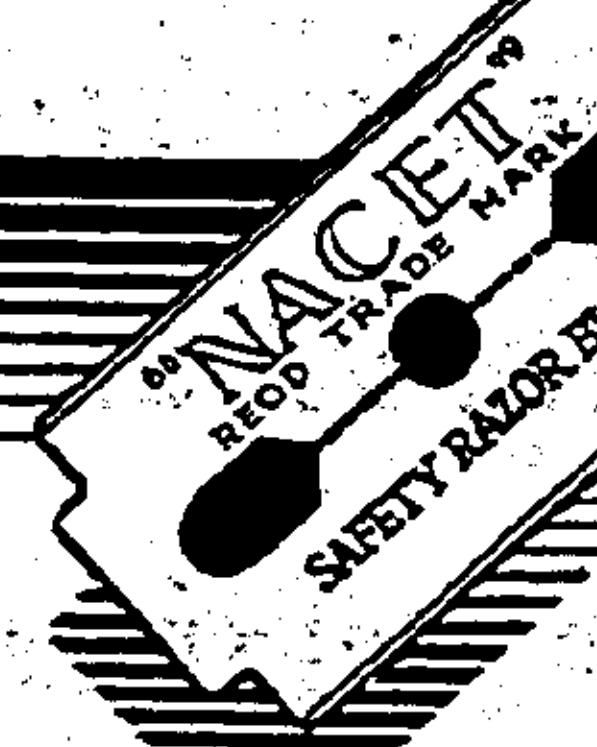
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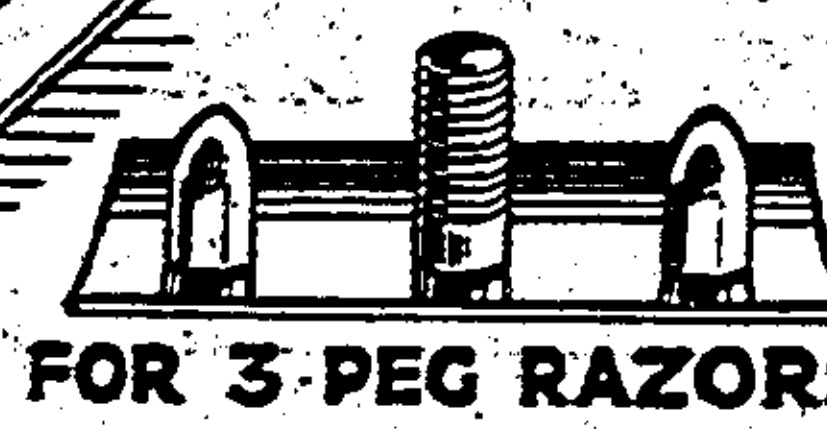
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NBODY'S CHILDREN IN NEW LANDS

(Continued from Page 4)

tution and are cared for till their physical disabilities are built up to health, and are then trained in some useful life work to which they are specially adapted. Barnardo's do not believe in letting round pegs fall into square holes. As far as possible the boys and girls under their care are fitted for the jobs in life to which they go. In hundreds of instances, tiny babies received at Babies Castle, Hawkhurst, Kent, will progress stage by stage through the various branches of the Homes till they reach a wage-earning career. Domestic service, laundry work, embroidery, cooking, nursing, secretarial work are amongst the careers open to a Barnardo girl. A boy with a sea-going bent and the necessary physical fitness is trained for the Royal Navy or the Merchant Service and boys from Watts Naval School or Russell-Cotes Nautical School have sailed the Seven Seas in ships belonging to practically all the great shipping lines. Two of the latest to go to sea joined the Queen Mary for her maiden trip. A technical school provides adequate and excellent training for carpentry, electrical work, engineering, and other trades. Horticulture and farming give initial preparation for boys bound for overseas.

Modern psychologists have frequently laid down the axiom, "Give us the children before they are seven and we can make them what we will." Dr. Barnardo's have proved in all their work, that given the right loving care and skilful training, the faults of physical disability, heredity and environment can be largely overcome, and the destitute children of to-day can be transformed into citizens of whom the Empire may well be proud.

Varying Types

Migrating as we do such vast numbers it must follow that our children are of varying types of character and intelligence, and must naturally spread themselves over every profession and occupation imaginable. They cannot all become Cabinet Ministers like the late Hon. James Page, who himself related that he was found by Dr. Barnardo in Cable Street, East London, whilst striving to rob a drunken Frenchman of a money-box. But they can and have become Doctors of Divinity, ministers of religion, foreign missionaries, Y.M.C.A. secretaries, superintendents of philanthropic institutions, business men and women, contractors, builders, bankers, brokers, cashiers, book-keepers, mechanics, artisans, wireless operators, telegraphists, etc., etc., and a vast army of rural workers.

The influx of such large numbers of institution children into Canada not unnaturally perhaps started fears that we were flooding the country with immigrants who were importing hereditary tendencies to disease and criminality. A Commission was appointed in 1890 to enquire into these charges, and Dr. Barnardo was able to prove from his books that out of the thousands who had been placed in the Dominion to that date only 10 had been convicted, and that the total failures amounted to less than 2 per cent.

Astonished At Criticism

In 1929 Mr. W. Noon, then Agent-General for Ontario, writing after his return from a visit to Canada, said:—

"Since my return to London I have heard 'remarks' about the after-care of institutional boys



Barbara Stanwyck and Joseph Calleia are in "His Brother's Wife," which will be shown at the King's Theatre to-morrow.

sent out to Canada. I am astonished that there should be any criticism. I can safely say that so far as my experience goes the boys sent out from this country by institutions are admirably looked after. Especially true is this of such institutions as Dr. Barnardo's Homes and Fegan's Homes. The boys from both these homes are well trained and make splendid settlers. Criticism of the excellent work done by such institutions seems altogether out of place. In making a survey of the question, one must not draw conclusions only from a very small percentage of misfits or failures, but must look at the fact that 98% of these boys do well, and are a credit to the Old Country."

It is not possible to furnish statistics showing how all our children have fared after migration, as naturally some of the more sturdy and independent have been lost sight of. A year or two ago, however, Barnardo's Canadian Manager sent us a list of some 520 old boys with whom he had been in recent touch, all of whom had made good, and of whom over 57 per cent were still on the land or in rural occupations.

Extracts From Letters

Two extracts from boys' letters tell their own story. Here is one: "I can definitely say that the day I was chosen as one to migrate to this glorious country was the luckiest day of my life. I am sure that no Barnardo boy or officer for that matter has the slightest inkling of an idea what a wonderful opportunity is being given to our boys who are being sent to this land of sunshine. Personally I would not change positions with anybody in any other country. Since coming to Australia I have never had any sickness other than an ordinary cold and that in itself is a lot to be thankful for. Yes, Australia will do me as far as English is concerned I am going back to England some time but not to stay."

"I have been in Australia 12 years next April and during that time have been out of work for only three months. I have been in my present job for 6½ years on the first of next month. I think that is proof enough that my boss and I understand each other and get along well; during the next few weeks you can picture me standing (I prefer standing) on a combined drill and spring tooth cultivator driving a team of ten horses sowing the crop, about 750 acres of wheat. I shall be as happy as 'Jarry' after cropping is over the horses will be needing a spell and I shall get a change of work myself then."

Farm Work

"I do practically all the farm work here from following, cul-

tivating, cropping and harvesting. Last year at harvest time I was driving ten horses in a ten-foot header and harvested over 600 acres of wheat for 2,423 bags of wheat, of which my share was 350 bags for my year's work. My advice to any boy in the Old Country who has the chance of migrating to Australia is to jump at the opportunity and consider himself very lucky, but no boy can expect to get on out here unless he is prepared to work, as there is no room in Australia for loafers.

"Everybody in this locality knows that I am a Barnardo boy, as I would not hide the fact from anybody. The Homes have done a tremendous lot for me, and I think it only right that I should do a little in return. I think that the boss I am working for now will be the last, it being my intention on leaving the job to make a start on my own. The boss has very kindly allowed me to purchase two mares and run them here on the property and breed from them. I now have five horses, three being foals. I also have a respectable banking account considering the hard time we have been through."

Regular As Clockwork

And here is another:

"I must say this, that a boy from the Old Country can get a job when an Australian cannot. I have been out here nearly eleven years now and can go back to any job I have left. I have been in this district nine years. I suppose you would like me to tell some of your boys about Australian bush life. I think the climate cannot be beaten. Time does not count unless you are to catch a train. The only busy times in the country are shearing and harvesting. Then things go as regular as clockwork. We start shearing tomorrow which I like. I can shear and do anything in the wool line, and I am thinking about taking a section at the next State Land Ballot, a block of land somewhere in the outback. My favourite hobby is horse riding. I stick them fairly well. I have a nice horse of my own which I value very much. Money would not take her from me."

A few notes concerning recent callers at our home in Jarvis Street, Toronto, tell the same cheery story:—

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tious. He is studying for the profession of schoolmaster. "Passed through Normal at Toronto and secured his second certificate. Now at High School working for his first certificate. He has our best wishes for continued success."

(4) "Fair haired and ruddy countenance. Had just celebrated his birthday and purchased a farm, so came in to cheer us up with the good news. Exchanged reminiscences with Mr. Jones and Mr. Stanners who used to visit him when a boy. Served in the war, was wounded and has a pension. Employs one of our younger boys."

(5) "Has a grip like steel, and there is a good heart behind it. Came with his wife to tell of his steady advance in life to the ownership of a good farm. He wished to engage one of our younger boys to help."

Can it be gainsaid that the work of Dr. Barnardo's Homes is not only one of humanity but a real contribution, essentially British in character, to the building and consolidation of the Empire, as indeed is the work of all the societies engaged in the migration and the overseas settlement of children? The many letters received by the Homes on the death of H. M. King George show further that not only are they useful citizens in their new countries, but that they are also strong links in the chain of loyalty which binds the Dominions to the Motherland—United Empire, Journal of the Royal Empire Society.

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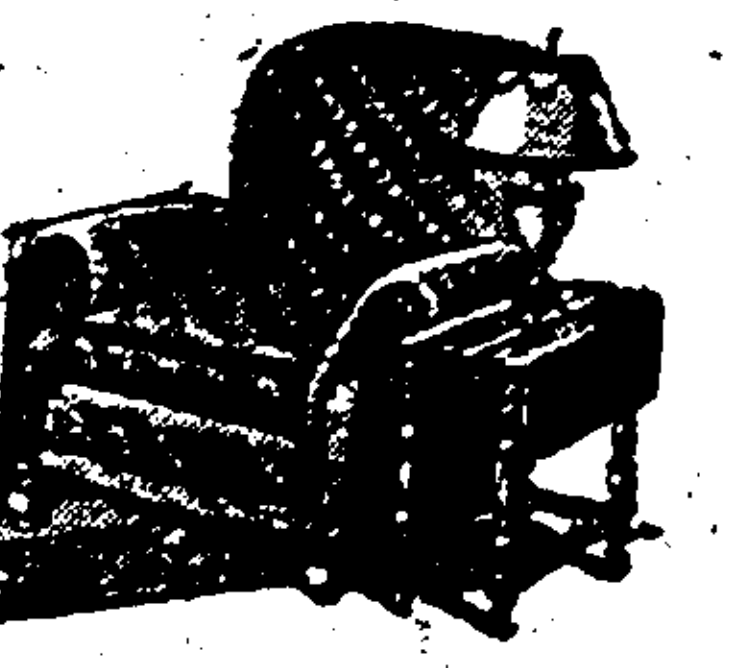
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Nickel Company of Canada, Ltd.
shows earnings of 62 cents per
share for the quarter ending
September 30th, as compared with
earnings of 50 cents per share for
the same quarter of last year.

The American Cyanamid Com-
pany shows earnings for the quar-
ter ending September 30th, of
\$1,095,266, as compared with ear-
nings of \$1,040,289 for the cor-
responding period of last year.

The New York Central Railroad
shows earnings of 70 cents per
share for the 9 months, ending
September 30th, as compared with
a loss of \$6,385,081. For the cor-
responding period of last year.

LOCAL DOLLAR STEADY

Silver Prices Fall

The local dollar is steady,
opening on demand this morning
at 1/2 %.
"Spot" silver fell 3/4 to 20-13/16,
while "forward" also fell 3/4 to
20-13/16.
The London on New York cross-
rate was quoted at \$-U.S.\$4.87 1/2,
as compared with \$-U.S.\$4.88,
while the New York on London
cross-rate was quoted at \$-
U.S.\$4.88, as compared with
\$-U.S.\$4.88 1/2.

LOCAL SHARE MARKET

TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS

The following was the list of
local share quotations issued to-
day.

Banks
H.K. Bank \$1675 b.
H.K. (Lon. Reg.) \$107 n.
Chartered Bank \$15 1/4 n.
Mercantile Bank A. and B.
\$32 1/4 n.
Mercantile Bank C. \$14 1/4 n.
Bank of East Asia \$83 n.

Insurances
Canton Ins. \$263 b., \$265 sa.
Union Ins. \$800 n.
China Underwriters \$1 n.
H.K. Fire Ins. \$255 n.
International Asse. Sh. \$3 1/4 n.

Shipping
Douglases \$30 n.
H.K. Steamboats \$6 1/4 n.
Indo-China (Pref.) \$38 n.
Indo-China (Def.) \$36 n.
Shells (Bearer) 118 1/4 n.
Union Waterboats \$10 1/4 n.

Docks, etc.
H.K. and K. Wharves \$109 sa.
H.K. and W. Docks \$14 n.
Providents (Old) \$210 n.
Providents (New) 20 cta. n.
New Engineering Sh. \$4 n.
Shanghai Docks Sh. \$81 1/2 n.

Mining
Kaitian Mining Ad. 13/9 n.
Rams \$12 b.
Venz: Goldfield \$6 1/2 b.

Lands, Hotels, etc.
H.K. and S. Hotels \$610 n.
H.K. Lands \$39 n.
H.K. 4% Debentures 105 1/2 n.
Shanghai Lands Sh. \$13 n.
Metropolitan Lands Sh. \$10 n.
Humphreys \$9 1/2 n.
H.K. Realities \$5 1/2 n.
Chinese Estates \$78 n.
China Realities Sh. \$4 n.
China Debentures Sh. \$60 n.

PHILIPPINE MINING

	Closing	Sales	10 a.m. Local
			in P. 100 Currency
Antamoks	370	6	
Atoks	60		
Baguio Gold	32	46 cts.	
Balabac Mining	16		
Benguet Consol.	15		
Benguet Explor.	22		
Big Wedge	47		
Consolidated Mines	.04 1/2	.05 1/2	7/7
Demonstrations	32	136/152	
Ipo Gold	24		
I. K. L.	185		
Ilogons	2		
Manobo Consol.	50	77 cts.	
Northern Mining	24		
Paracale Consol.	72	83/98 1/2	
Salacot Mining	.07		
San Mateo	290	355/460	
Soyoc Consol.	60		
United Paracales	190		
Mineral Resc.	48 1/2	76/77	

Public Utilities

H.K. Tramways \$1230 n.
Peak Trams (old) \$6 1/2 n.
Peak Trams (new) \$2 1/2 n.
Star Ferries \$92 b.
Yanmat Ferries \$24 1/2 b.
C. Lights (Old) \$14 1/4 n.
C. Lights (New) \$10 1/4 n.
H.K. Electric \$58 1/2 n.
Macao Electric \$20 n.
Sandakan Lights \$630 n.
Telephones (Old) \$29 n.
Telephones (New) \$105 1/2 n.
China Buses Sh. \$11 1/4 n.
Singapore Traction \$27 1/2 n.
Singapore Pref. \$27 1/2 n.

Industrials

Cald. Mac. (Ord.) Sh. \$19 1/2 n.
Cald. Mac. (Pref.) Sh. \$15 n.
Canton Ice \$220 n.
Cements \$1160 n.
H.K. Ropes \$130 n.
Stores, etc.
Dairy Farms \$22 n.
Watsons \$435 n.
Lane, Crawfords \$6 1/4 n.
Sincere \$3 n.
Wing On (H.K.) \$50 n.

Cotton Mills

Ewo Cottons Sh. \$1070 n.
Shanghai Cottons (old) Sh. \$76 n.
Shanghai Cotton (New) Sh. \$43 n.

Miscellaneous

Zoong Sings Sh. \$16 n.
Wing On Textiles Sh. \$25 n.
Enterprises \$3 n.
Constructions (Old) \$1 1/4 n.
Constructions (New) \$2 1/2 n.
Vibro Piling \$530 n.
Ch. Govt. 5% 1925 GSBs. 92 1/2 n.
H.K. Govt. 4% Loan 8% prem. n.
H.K. Govt. 3 1/2% Loan 8% prem. n.
Wallace Harpers \$4 n.

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hours prior to vessel's arrival, but
carried on from port to port to the
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extends.

No claims will be admitted after
the Goods have left the Godown, and
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the 20th inst. will be subject to rent.
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be presented to the undersigned with-
in 3 days from the date of discharge
of cargo otherwise they will not be
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Goods are to be left in the Godowns,
where they will be examined on the
18th inst. at 10 a.m. by our surveyors
Messrs. Goddard & Douglas, in the
presence of Consignees concerned.

In the case of dutiable cargo, con-
signees are requested to inform the
Imports and Exports Office that they
have such goods for examination.
No Fire Insurance has been effect-
ed.

Bill of Lading will be counter-
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COMMODITY PRICES

The following quotations have
been received by Reuter:-

	Prev. Yesterday	Closing
New York Cotton:		
December	11.72	11.56
January	11.65	11.51
March	11.67	11.54
May	11.67	11.54
July	11.68	11.41
October	11.20	11.13
Spot	12.14	12.10

	Prev. Yesterday	Closing
New York Rubber:		
December	17.70	15.60
January	17.73a	17.61a
March	17.80	17.68
May	17.83	17.74a
July	17.86	17.73a
September	17.89a	17.80
October	17.92a	17.83a

	Prev. Yesterday	Closing
Chicago Wheat:		
December	114 1/2	115 1/2
May	112 1/2	113 1/2
July	98 1/2	99 1/2

	Prev. Yesterday	Closing
Chicago Corn:		
December	101 1/2	102 1/2
May	94 1/2	96 1/2
July	91	91 1/2

	Prev. Yesterday	Closing
Winnipeg Wheat:		
November	107 1/2	107 1/2
December	105 1/2	106 1/2
May	106 1/2	106 1/2

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Rome, To-day.

The Supreme Fascist Council, which has not been convened since the meeting called for the proclamation of the Italian Empire, will meet on November 18, this being the first anniversary of the beginning of sanctions. It is expected that Signor Mussolini will utilise this occasion to make an important pronouncement regarding the international situation and the Italian attitude towards the important problems awaiting solution. The progress of Italian armaments will also probably be revealed.

The Secretary of the Fascist Party will make an extensive report on the development of the productive forces in the corporative State and the rigidly executed plan of price control and price restriction. — Trans-Ocean Service.

BRITAIN'S DEFENCE POLICIES

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service for protection. So long as there was an Empire both the Navy and Air Force would be required, and just as one force would have to protect the heart of the Empire the other force would have to preserve her communications.

TREMENDOUS TASK

The completion of the programme itself, for meeting the cumulative deficiencies of many years, was in itself a tremendous task. The defence programmes were making, on the whole, good progress. The question of the food-supply of the country in time of war was in process of solution, but was not yet wholly solved. A scheme of rationing had been drawn up which could be used in an emergency arose, and the Minister of Agriculture had produced a scheme for increased production in case of war.

The production of aero-engines

under the 1937 programme was entirely satisfactory. As regarded the completed aeroplanes, these were in some cases behind the period originally hoped for, but there was nothing alarming in this. The more the Government plan for the construction of aeroplanes in shadow factories was studied, the more general was the conviction that it was right.

CONSTANT REVIEW

The Government were determined to press forward the plan already worked out, to modify and to expand it if necessary in the light of developments, but they did not feel justified in bringing about the dislocation of trade which must follow any attempt to proceed upon the more lavish scale advocated in some quarters. Plans for coast defence and the anti-aircraft defence of ports of entry had been drawn up. They were constantly under review by

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H.K. CONFUCIAN SOCIETY

Plea For Support Of Free Education

The Hong Kong Confucian Society, with the support of the general public, was at one time able to maintain as many as 30 vernacular free schools in the Colony. Owing to the trade depression in recent years this number has now been reduced to 17. The financial position of the society is very stringent at the present time, since the support of these schools requires a large sum of money annually.

A sale of flowers will take place to-morrow in aid of the Society's funds, and the Society earnestly pleads for generous support of its good work. Donations may be sent to Chan Kam-po, Chairman of the Society, at No. 124, Hollywood Road.

ROYAL FORCES' SLIGHT ADVANCE

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cans littered the ground, while the Government troops captured 200 Civil Guards and thousands of rifles.

The Moors are well armed with automatic weapons, but it is believed that the artillery bombardment and firing from high buildings will compel their eventual surrender. The insurgent artillery were more in evidence yesterday. The reverberations shook the whole capital.

Senor del Vayo, the Foreign Minister, has returned to Madrid from Valencia and is now intensively examining the situation in co-operation with the Defence Committee. The Diplomatic Corps has offered to assist the Defence Committee in all matters relating to the safety of the civil population under the chairmanship of the Mexican Ambassador, with the British and Argentinian Charges d'Affaires as assessors. — Reuter.

FORTHCOMING WEDDINGS

The forthcoming wedding of Mr. Thomas John McCluskie-Beattie, of No. 2, Braemar Terrace, and Miss Gladys Louis Doig, well-known former badminton player of the Sailors' and Soldiers' Home, residing at No. 3, Naval Terrace, has been announced.

The Registrar of Marriages has also been notified, by mail, of the coming marriage of Mr. Emil August Kaufmann, a missionary attached to the Basel Mission at Kuchuk, East River, Kwangtung Province, and Miss Hanna Wilhelmine Scholzinger, a nurse attached to a mission station in the Moien District town.

cause of the constantly increasing range of aircraft.

The Government's attitude towards the question of a Ministry of Supply, about which there was a difference of opinion between the Government and Mr. Churchill, was the considered judgment of the Cabinet in the light of all the facts—British Wireless Service.

NEW YEAR PARCEL MAIL

P.O. Notification

A Post Office notification states that the New Year Parcel Mail for Great Britain will be closed in the General Post Office and the Kowloon Central Post Office at 5 p.m. on Tuesday, November 17, by the s.s. Patroclus. This mail is due to arrive in London on December 23.

WEATHER REPORT

The anti-cyclone has increased slightly in intensity; pressure is highest over the Lower Yangtze Valley. The depression has moved into the Pacific to the east of Hokkaido. The forecast for to-day, as issued by the Royal Observatory this morning, was: North-east winds, fresh; fine generally.

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